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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

(currently amended) A method for displaying processor usage, comprising: 1. displaying on a display device a first graphic type indicative of a processor wherein where one of said first graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two processors in a multiprocessor system; and

displaying on said display device a second graphic type indicative of an application group wherein where one of said second graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two application groups programs and wherein at least one graphic type is displayed for each of said at least two application groups associated with each of said at least two processors.

- 2. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 wherein said second graphic type comprises a color indicative of the [[an]] application group.
- 3. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 further comprising a graphic indicator indicating a group of said at least two processors wherein said group is indicative of a processor clustering.
- 4. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 further comprising a graphic indicator of processor utilization associated associate with each of said at least two processors.
- 5. (original) The method as recited in claim 4 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a gauge.
- 6. (original) The method as recited in claim 5 wherein gauge bands reflect ranges of processor utilization.

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- 7. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 4 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a bar.
- 8. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 wherein blocks associated with the <u>second</u> graphic indicator type indicate [[an]] the application group assigned to a processor.
- 9. (currently amended) The method as recited in claim 1 wherein [[an]] the application group comprises at least one independently, computer-executable process.
 - (currently amended) An apparatus for displaying processor usage, comprising:
 A multiprocessor system comprising a memory;

A display device in electrical communication with the multiprocessor system;

Computer-executable instructions stored in said memory and operable to display on said display device a first graphic type indicative of a processor wherein where one of said first graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two processors in a multiprocessor system; and

Computer-executable instructions stored in said memory and operable to display on said display device a second graphic type indicative of an application group wherein where one of said second graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two application groups programs and wherein at least one graphic type is displayed for each of said at least two application groups associated with each of said at least two processors.

- 11. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 10 wherein said second graphic type comprises a color indicative of the [[an]] application group.
- 12. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 10 further comprising a graphic indicator indicator indicating a group of said at least two processors wherein said group is indicative of a processor clustering.

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- 13. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 12 further comprising a graphic indicator of processor utilization associated associate with each of said at least two processors.
- 14. (original) The apparatus as recited in claim 13 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a gauge.
- 15. (original) The apparatus as recited in claim 14 wherein gauge bands reflect ranges of processor utilization.
- 16. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 13 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a bar.
- 17. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 10 wherein blocks associated with the <u>second</u> graphic indicator type indicate [[an]] the application group assigned to a processor.
- 18. (currently amended) The apparatus as recited in claim 10 wherein [[an]] the application group comprises at least one independently, computer-executable process.
- 19. (currently amended) A computer-readable medium bearing computer readable instructions for carrying out the acts comprising:

displaying on a display device a first graphic type indicative of a processor wherein where one of said first graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two processors in a multiprocessor system; and

displaying on said display device a second graphic type indicative of an application group wherein where one of said second graphic type is displayed for each one of at least two application groups programs and wherein at least one graphic type is displayed for each of said at least two application groups associated with each of said at least two processors.

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- 20. (currently amended) The computer readable medium as recited in claim 19 wherein said second graphic type comprises a color indicative of the [[an]] application group.
- 21. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 19 further comprising a graphic indicator indicator indicating a group of said at least two processors wherein said group is indicative of a processor clustering.
- 22. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 19 further comprising a graphic indicator of processor utilization associated associate with each of said at least two processors.
- 23. (original) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 22 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a gauge.
- 24. (original) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 23 wherein said gauge comprises bands that reflect ranges of processor utilization.
- 25. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 22 wherein said graphic indicator comprises a bar.
- 26. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 19 wherein blocks associated with the second graphic indicator type indicate [[an]] the application group assigned to a processor.
- 27. (currently amended) The computer-readable medium as recited in claim 19 wherein [[an]] the application group comprises at least one independently, computer-executable process.